

	7	8	9	10	11	12
7.	1	10,686.00	-	-	1	10,686.00
8.	-	-	-	-	1	4,231.00
9.	1	11,524.00	-	-	1	11,524.00
10.	2	9,050.00*	-	-	2	9,050.00
11.	1	1,1,623.00	-	-	13	7,26,466.00
12.	-	-	-	6,335.00	4	55,455.00
13.	2	1,24,950.00	-	-	85	18,36,478.00
14.	-	-	-	-	2	79,640.00
	18	5,82,769.00 11,341.00	3	10,029.00	186	43,21,463.00 2,70,852.00
	18	5,71,428.00	3	10,029.00	186	40,50,611.00

Technical Education to Handicapped

1696. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT : Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state :

- (a) whether any special scheme has been introduced in Rajasthan to provide technical education to the blind and handicapped persons;
- (b) if so, funds allocated for each schedule during the last three years, district-wise;
- (c) the number of persons benefited under the scheme so far category-wise and district-wise;
- (d) the details of the efforts being made for the efficient implementation of the scheme;
- (e) the reasons for not paying the salaries to teachers and employees of blind school, Udaipur for quite sometime; and
- (f) the time by which the same would be paid?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA) : (a) to (d). No special scheme

has been introduced exclusively for Rajasthan. Under the scheme of Assistance to Organisations for the Disabled grants in aids are open to Non-Governmental Organisations all over the country including Rajasthan. Grant-in-aid is given by the Ministry of Welfare to Non-Governmental Organisations for undertaking various activities for the welfare of the disabled including provision of technical education. Under this scheme no allocation of funds is made State-wise. However, the amounts of the grant-in-aid released to the various Non-Governmental Organisations functioning in Rajasthan during the last 3 years, as also the number of beneficiaries is given in the enclosed Statement.

Efforts are made to release grant-in-aid to Non-Governmental Organisations in time so that the activities run smoothly. Also instalments of grants are released only whenever State Government concerned has given a favourable recommendations based on the physical inspection of the organisations.

(e) and (f). The information is being collected from the State Government of Rajasthan.

STATEMENT

Technical Education to Handicapped

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the Scheme	Year					
	1993-94		1994-95		1995-96	
	Amount released	Beneficiaries	Amount released	Beneficiaries	Amount released	Beneficiaries
Assistance to Voluntary Organisations for Disabled	22.74	586	34.05	820	38.57	670

[English]

Standard of Education in Agricultural Universities

1697. SHRI NAMDEO DIWATHE : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Government are aware of the fall in

the Educational and Research standards in the Agricultural Universities in the country during the past five years;

- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the details of Central assistance released under various schemes to the Agricultural Universities and